Introduced by Assembly Member Dahle

February 21, 2013

An act to amend Section 75.70 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 742, as introduced, Dahle. Property taxes: revenue allocation. Existing property tax law requires the county auditor, in each fiscal year, to allocate property tax revenue to local jurisdictions in accordance with specified formulas and procedures.

This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to certain of these provisions.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 75.70 of the Revenue and Taxation Code is amended to read:
- 3 75.70. (a) Notwithstanding any other law, for the 1983–84
- fiscal year, each county auditor shall allocate to all elementary,
- 5 high school, and unified school districts within the county in
- 6 proportion to each school district's average daily attendance, as
- 7 certified by the Superintendent of Public Instruction for purposes
- 8 of the advance apportionment of state aid in the then current fiscal
- 9 year, without-respect regard to the allocation of property tax
- 10 revenues pursuant to Chapter 6 (commencing with Section 95) of

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Part 0.5, and without respect to allocation and payment of funds as provided for in subdivision (b) of Section 33670 of the Health and Safety Code, an amount equal to the additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments for the current roll under this chapter. Additional revenues generated by a *tax* rate or rates levied in excess of the limitation prescribed by subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution shall be allocated to the fund for which the tax rate or rates were levied.

- (b) For the 1984–85 fiscal year, the county auditor shall, without respect regard to the allocation of property tax revenues pursuant to Chapter 6 (commencing with Section 95) of Part 0.5, do all of the following:
- (1) Make the allocation and payment of funds as provided in Section 33670 of the Health and Safety Code.
- (2) Allocate to the county the amount determined pursuant to Section 75.60.
- (3) Allocate to the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (2), the remainder multiplied by the county's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5.
- (4) Allocate to each community college district and county superintendent of schools within the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (2), the remainder multiplied by each county superintendent of schools' and community college district's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5.
- (5) Allocate to each city within the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenue generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraphs

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(1) and (2), the remainder multiplied by each city's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5.

- (6) Allocate to each special district within the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (2), the remainder multiplied by each special district's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5. The amount allocated to each special district which is governed by the board of supervisors of a county or whose governing board is the same as the board of supervisors of a county, shall be subject to Section 98.6.
- (7) Allocate the remaining revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter to all elementary, high school, and unified school districts within the county in proportion to each school district's average daily attendance, as certified by the Superintendent of Public Instruction for purposes of the advance apportionment of state aid in the then current fiscal year.
- (8) Allocate additional revenues generated by a rate levied in excess of the limitation prescribed by subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution to the fund or funds for which the tax rate or rates were levied.

These allocations shall be made on a timely basis but no later than 30 calendar days after the close of the preceding monthly or four-weekly accounting period.

- (c) For the 1985–86 fiscal year, and each fiscal year thereafter, the county auditor shall, without respect to the allocation of property tax revenues pursuant to Chapter 6 (commencing with Section 95) of Part 0.5, do all of the following:
- (1) Make the allocation and payment of funds as provided in Section 33670 of the Health and Safety Code.
- (2) Allocate and pay to the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraph (1), the

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remainder multiplied by the county's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5.

- (3) Allocate and pay to each county superintendent of schools and community college district within the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraph (1), the remainder multiplied by each county superintendent of schools' and community college district's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5.
- (4) Allocate and pay to each city within the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraph (1), the remainder multiplied by each city's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5.
- (5) Allocate and pay to each special district within the county an amount equal to the total amount of additional revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter, less the amount determined pursuant to paragraph (1), the remainder multiplied by each special district's property tax apportionment factor determined pursuant to Section 97.5. The amount allocated to each special district which is governed by the board of supervisors of a county or whose governing body is the same as the board of supervisors of a county, shall be subject to Section 98.6.
- (6) Allocate and pay the remaining revenues generated by the rate levied pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution applied to the increased assessments under this chapter to all elementary, high school, and unified school districts within the county in proportion to each school district's average daily attendance, as certified by the Superintendent of Public Instruction for the purposes of the to advance apportionment of state aid in the then current fiscal year.
- (7) Allocate and pay additional revenues generated by a rate levied in excess of the limitation prescribed by subdivision (a) of

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Section 1 of Article XIII A of the California Constitution to the fund or funds for which the tax rate or rates were levied.

These allocations and payments shall be made on a timely basis but no later than 30 calendar days after the close of the preceding monthly or four-weekly accounting period. For a county with a population of 500,000 or less, the allocations may be made on a biannual basis.

- (d) For purposes of the certification made by the Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to subdivision (a), the average daily attendance of the following school districts shall be deemed to be zero:
- (1) In the case of multicounty school districts, the portions of the school districts located other than in the county of control.
- (2) A school district that is an excess tax school entity, as defined in subdivision (n) of Section 95, in the prior fiscal year.
- (e) The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall certify the appropriate counts of average daily attendance pursuant to subdivision (a) to each county auditor no later than July 15 of each applicable fiscal year.
- (f) On or before November 15 and April 15, the auditor of each county shall furnish to the Superintendent of Public Instruction the estimated amount of tax receipts pursuant to this section of each school district situated within his or her county.
- (g) In the event property tax revenues under this chapter are generated by a change in ownership or completed new construction which occurred on or before May 31, 1984, but are collected subsequent to the 1983–84 fiscal year, the revenues for the current roll shall be allocated to school districts as if they had been collected and allocated during this 1983–84 fiscal year. Any of the aforementioned revenues—which that are collected in the 1984–85 fiscal year shall be applied to school apportionments for the 1984–85 fiscal year.